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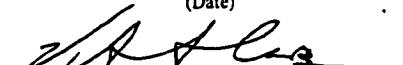
Applicant : Shuman, Brandon James
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Filed : February 1, 2002
For : DEVICE AND METHOD OF
ISOLATING DELETERIOUS
BODY TISSUE LOCATED
WITHIN HEALTHY BODY
TISSUE
Examiner : Sam, Charles H.
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 23, 2004

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 23, 2004, Applicant submits the following response, of which:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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